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Active Employees and Railroad Retirement Act Beneficiaries, by State Calendar Year 1997

The attached table shows active employees and Railroad Retirement Act beneficiaries by State. Active employee counts are the average number of employees covered by the Railroad Retirement and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Acts during calendar year 1997, and are preliminary. Beneficiary counts, including beneficiaries receiving vested dual benefits, are individuals in current-payment status on December 31, 1997.

Active Employees and Railroad Retirement Act Beneficiaries, by State - 1997

		Total				Receiving
	Active	Benefi-	Retired			Vested Dual
	Employees	ciaries	Employees	Spouses	Survivors	Benefits
Alabama	3,900	11,700	4,900	2,700	4,200	1,700
Alaska	100	200	100	*	100	100
Arizona	2,600	12,800	6,000	3,500	3,500	2,200
Arkansas	4,300	10,600	4,900	2,500	3,300	1,600
California	14,700	44,500	20,700	10,300	14,200	7,900
Colorado	4,800	9,700	4,300	2,300	3,100	1,700
Connecticut	2,000	4,000	1,800	900	1,300	900
Delaware	1,300	2,200	900	500	700	400
District of Columbia	500	1,100	500	200	400	200
Florida	8,600	40,500	19,100	10,800	11,300	8,000
Georgia	7,300	17,600	8,000	4,100	5,800	2,800
Hawaii	*	400	200	100	100	100
Idaho	2,000	5,500	2,500	1,500	1,500	900
Illinois	19,900	47,100	22,100	11,100	14,600	8,800
Indiana	7,500	20,100	9,100	4,900	6,300	3,500
lowa	4,000	11,600	5,100	3,000	3,600	2,000
Kansas	7,000	16,700	7,500	4,400	5,100	2,800
Kentucky	5,200	17,400	7,800	4,100	5,700	2,300
Louisiana	3,700	10,100	4,500	2,300	3,400	1,400
Maine	900	4,000	1,800	1,000	1,200	700
Maryland	5,200	13,600	6,200	3,300	4,400	2,400
Massachusetts	2,800	7,400	3,300	1,700	2,500	1,600
Michigan	6,300	17,900 21,600	8,500	4,400	5,300	3,200
Minnesota Mississippi	6,400 2,100	7,100	9,800 3,100	5,800 1,600	6,300 2,500	3,800 1,000
Missouri	8,300	24,800	11,200	6,100	7,800	4,300
Montana	3,100	7,300	3,500	1,900	2,000	1,100
Nebraska	10,500	11,900	5,500	3,100	3,500	2,000
Nevada	800	3,900	2,000	1,000	1,000	700
New Hampshire	400	1,300	600	300	500	300
New Jersey	7,800	14,100	6,200	3,300	4,700	3,000
New Mexico	1,900	6,000	2,800	1,500	1,700	700
New York	15,600	33,900	15,200	7,500	11,400	7,300
North Carolina	2,800	12,400	5,600	3,000	4,000	2,000
North Dakota	2,000	4,000	1,700	1,100	1,300	600
Ohio	9,800	39,600	17,400	9,500	13,000	6,700
Oklahoma	1,800	6,600	2,900	1,500	2,200	900
Oregon	2,800	10,800	5,000	2,700	3,200	2,000
Pennsylvania	16,100	58,300	24,900	14,600	19,300	9,800
Rhode Island	400	900	400	200	300	200
South Carolina	2,100	7,300	3,300	1,700	2,400	1,100
South Dakota	800	1,600	700	400	600	300
Tennessee	4,800	14,700	6,200	3,400	5,300	2,300
Texas	16,100	40,600	18,300	9,800	13,000	6,100
Utah	2,300	7,200	3,200	1,900	2,200	1,400
Vermont	300	1,500	700	400	500	300
Virginia	8,000	22,800	10,300	5,500	7,300	3,700
Washington	5,200	14,000	6,600	3,500	4,100	2,500
West Virginia	3,500	13,000	5,600 6 100	3,200	4,400	1,600
Wisconsin	4,200	13,500	6,100	3,500	4,100	2,700
Wyoming Outside United States:	3,000	3,600	1,700	900	1,100	600
Outside United States: Canada	200	4,200	1,700	1,100	1,500	*
Mexico		4,200 700	300	1,100	300	*
All others	*	1,000	400	100	500	100
Total	256,300	736,700	332,500	179,900	233,400	126,600

Active Employees: This is a preliminary distribution of calendar year 1997 average employment based on 1996 address reports submitted voluntarily by employers. Overall, addresses for 97 percent of employees who worked in 1996 were included.

Beneficiaries: Individuals in current payment status on December 31, 1997. In total number, beneficiaries are only counte once, even though they may have received more than one type of benefit.

Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

^{* -} Fewer than 50.